

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :
Hisayuki KAYANOKI :
Serial No. NEW : **Attn: APPLICATION BRANCH**
Filed November 28, 2003 : Attorney Docket No. 2003-1724

Coated Article
(Rule 1.53(b) Divisional
of Serial No. 09/763,455,
Filed February 23, 2001)

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
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ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In the interest of compact prosecution, please amend the present application as follows: